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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
SHIGEYASU NAGOSHI) : Examiner: L. Nguyen
Appln. No.: 10/718,702) : Group Art Unit: 2861
Filed: November 24, 2003) : Allowed: November 28, 2005
For: INK JET PRINTING METHOD AND) : January 24, 2006
INK JET PRINTING APPARATUS)

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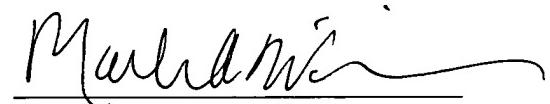
COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Sir:

In the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance attached to the Notice of Allowability mailed November 28, 2005, the Examiner listed reasons for the allowance of the claims. However, the features noted by the Examiner do not accurately reflect what is recited in each of the independent claims. For example, Claims 5 and 6 are directed to an apparatus and do not recite any steps. Nevertheless, Applicants respectfully submit that each of the pending claims is allowable for its combination of claimed features.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,



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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.312 in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	8	MINUS	20	= 0	x \$25 \$50	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	MINUS	4	= 0	x \$100 \$200	\$0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$0.00

- °Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
- A check in the amount of \$____ is enclosed.
- Charge \$____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.
- A check in the amount of \$____ to cover the fee for a ____ month extension is enclosed.
- A check in the amount of \$____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
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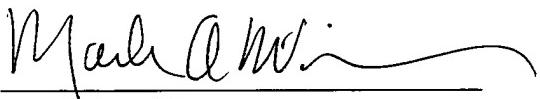
Sir:

Transmitted herewith are seven (7) sheets of formal drawings to be substituted for the corresponding drawing sheets currently on file in this application.

All of the drawings are clearer versions of the drawings originally submitted. In addition, Figures 6 and 7 have been amended to correct typographical errors. Specifically, "YELLOE" and DALK MAGANTA" have been amended to read --YELLOW-- and --DARK MAGENTA--, respectively, in Figure 6, and "DALK" has been amended to read --DARK-- in Figure 7. Favorable consideration is requested.

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